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Title: ENTROPIC TRAPPING AND SIEVING)
OF MOLECULES)

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RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION MAILED JANUARY 17, 2007

Sir:

Introductory Comments:

This paper is responsive to the above-referenced Office Action. A response to the Office Action is due on April 17, 2007. Applicants respectfully request for a one-month extension setting forth the due date to be May 17, 2007. Accordingly, this response is timely filed. Applicants respectfully request reconsideration of the application and allowance of the claims in view of the following amendments and remarks made herein.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 6 of this paper.